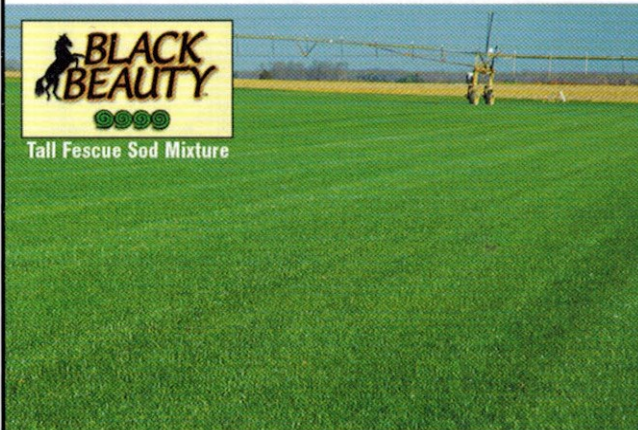


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JOHNSON FARMS GROWS **BLACK BEAUTY**™ SOD & A LOT MORE!

Everyone who attended the TPI Field Day at Johnson Farms in July 2014 had to be impressed by the scope of the business operation, the facility and the staff. I certainly rank it as one of the very best Field Days that I've ever attended, and I have been at all but two in over thirty five years.

The business is divided between a sod and nursery stock operation. I recently visited with Dave Johnson and his family in search of the perfect Black Beauty Sod photograph. Johnson Farms sells Black Beauty Sod in New Jersey, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New York and even into New England.

Over the years I have walked hundreds of sod fields, but for a consistently great sod product it's hard to beat Johnson Farms, Black Beauty Sod. Dave was accommodating as always and shared with me customers who had recently purchased Black Beauty Sod. This led to the home owners who were lucky enough to have the Black Beauty Sod installed on their lawns.

Jonathan Green is updating its fertilizer and grass seed packaging for retail sales. All of our new fertilizer bags will show homes with Black Beauty sodded lawns, courtesy of Johnson Sod Farms. We want to thank Dave, Donna, Ross and Kaitlyn Johnson of Johnson Farms for making Black Beauty and Jonathan Green look so good!